

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, No. 2:04-cr-00388 MCE-6

Plaintiff,

v.

**ORDER**

JUAN PABLO VELAZQUEZ,

Defendant.

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The Court is in receipt of Defendant Juan Pablo-Velazquez's Request for an Emergency Interruption of Sentence (ECF No. 304). District Courts simply do not have the power to "suspend the imposition of a sentence." United States v. Murillo, 548 F.3d 1256, 1257 (9th Cir. 2008). Under United States Code, the Bureau of Prisons alone has authority to determine whether a prisoner may be released under such circumstances. See 18 U.S.C. § 3622. Therefore, Defendant's request (ECF No. 304) is DENIED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: April 1, 2011



MORRISON C. ENGLAND JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE